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SUBJECT:DECISION ON FRENCH COMPUTER FOR CHINA - IL 1565

1. USDEL SHOULD BE AWARE THIS CASE DECIDED AS AN EXCEPTION
TO STANDING POLICY ON COMPUTER SAFEGUARDS. THE CONDITIONS
DESCRIBED IN STATE 265883 WERE NOT BASED ON PRECEDENT, AND
ARE NOT INTENDED TO BECOME A PRECEDENT FOR FUTURE EXPORTS.
OUR ACTION SHOULD NOT BE READ BY OTHER COCOM COUNTRIES AS
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HAVING IMPLICATIONS FOR FUTURE US POLICY ON COMPUTER SALES

TO THE PRC OR TO OTHER COMMUNIST COUNTRIES. USDEL MAY REMIND OTHER DELS, IF NECESSARY, THAT COCOM EXCEPTIONS ARE DECIDED INDIVIDUALLY, WITHOUT REFERENCE TO PRECEDENT CASES. USDEL MAY RELY ON FOREGOING TO MAKE IT CLEAR TO OTHER DELS THAT THIS CASE IS AN EXCEPTION TO STANDING POLICY.

2. THE APPLICATION OF IDENTICAL EXPORT RESTRICTIONS AGAINST THE PRC AND THE SOVIET UNION AND THE COUNTRIES OF EASTERN EUROPE REMAINS US POLICY. WE DO NOT INTEND TO APPLY A "DE FACTO CHINA DIFFERENTIAL" FAVORING THE PRC.

3. THIS CASE IS INDEPENDENT OF THE DRESSER CASE, ON WHICH OUR POSITION WAS SET FORTH IN DOC (76) 1290.

4. MONTHLY REPORTING BY CDC TO USG IS REQUIRED TO SATISFY USG NEEDS, AND WAS CONDITION SET FOR APPROVAL US LICENSE APART FROM COCOM REQUIREMENTS. IF FRENCH WISH TO OBTAIN INFORMATION FROM THOSE REPORTS, WE WILL CONSIDER THEIR REQUESTS BILATERALLY, OR THEY CAN REQUIRE REPORTS FROM APPLICANT. KISSINGER

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